Antigen	Reported coverage levels (in%age)
Diptheria, Pertussis Tetans (DPT)	98%
Oral Polio Vaccin (OPV)	99%
Vaccin for prevention of Tuberculosis (BCG)	97%
Measles	89%
Tetanus Toxoied for pregnant women TT (PW)	78%

India among dirtiest in world

2838. SHRI N. E. BALARAM:

SHRI GURUDAS DAS GUPTA:

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to the news item under the caption "India among dirtiest in world" which appeared in the "Patriot" dated 11th November, 1991; and

(b) if so, what are the details in this regard and what is Government's reaction thereto?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRIMATI D. K. THARADEVI SIDDHARTHA): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) It is a fact that sanitary conditions in our cities and towns are not ideal and there is much scope for improvement. Sanitation is primarily a State subject and it is the responsibility of State Governments/UTs and Urban local bodies to plan and maintain sanitation schemes. However, the Central Government also supplements the efforts of the State Governments/UTs

Under the International Drinking Water Supply and Sanitation Decade Programme from 1981—90, coverage of sanitation in urban areas till the end of December, 1990 was 45.9 per cent (Provisional).

During the 8th Five Year Plan, there is a scheme for the elimination of manual scavenging in the country to the maximum extent possible. This will be achieved by conversion of dry latrines/construction of low cost waterseal pour flush latrines at the rate of 500 towns per annum, on whole-town basis. The scheme is being operated through HUDCO by providing a mix of central assistance in the form of subsidy and loan from HUDCO to State Governments/UTs.

The Central Government have also circulated a package proposal to the State Govts. and UTs for implementing pilot projects for solid waste management over a period of three years and on cost sharing basis by the Central and the State/local bodies in the ratio of 50:50.

विदेशी सहायता से परिवार कल्याण कार्यक्रम

2839. श्री ईश दत्त यादव : क्या स्वास्थ्य और परिवार कल्याण मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) उत्तर प्रदेश में ऐसे कितने स्थान हैं जहां विदेशी सहायता से स्वास्थ्य एवं परिवार कल्याण कार्यक्रम चलाए जा रहे हैं तथा उन जिलों का ब्यौरा क्या है जहां ये स्थित हैं ;

(ख) इस कार्यक्रम के अंतर्गत किए जा रहे कार्य का ब्यौरा क्या है ;